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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified case and in response to the September 12, 2001 Office Action, Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments and remarks be entered.

In the Title:

Please delete the title and insert:

--A METHOD OF OBSERVING VASCULOGENESIS IN VITRO  
USING CULTURED ALLANTOIS--

In the Specification:

At page 1, line 10, please add: --This invention

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